GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

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PROGRESS UNDER CRF IN MADHYA PRADESH
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the progress of sanctioned roads in Madhya Pradesh under the Central Road Funds is satisfactory;

(b) if so, whether the physical targets will be achieved as per the plan;

(c) if so, whether there are reports of differences between the bidders and the works departments of the Madhya Pradesh Government;

(d) if so, whether the bidders have held the works departments and the technical advisors responsible for not making progress as per the plan; and

(e) if so, the remedial steps proposed to be taken by the government in this regard ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (MAJOR GENERAL (RETD KHANDURI)

(a) 37 works costing Rs.141.63 crore were sanctioned in the State of Madhya Pradesh during 2000-01, additional 15 works, amounting to Rs.47.52 crore, were sanctioned during the year 2001-02 and 2002-03. Out of these 52 works, State PWD have so far completed 11 works, 6 works are in advanced stage of progress, about 17 works are yet to start. Remaining works are in various stages of progress.

(b) As per the extant policy, the completion of the projects is not to exceed 24 months and most of the ongoing works are adhering to this time limit so far. The total funds released to the State of Madhya Pradesh is Rs. 100.95 crore and Utilization Certificate of Rs.99.53 crore has been received till January, 2003.

(c) No such report has been received by the Ministry.

(d) & (e) Do not arise.